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JAS. CURRIE - CRYSLER

Herbert Hummel Dies Suddenly.

Death came with startling suddenness on Sunday at midday to Herbert Hummel at the home of the late J. H. Marselis of Nation Valley. After having attended to the usual farm work during the forenoon and apparently in his usual satisfactory health, he was partaking of his dinner, when without warning he sank back in his chair and passed beyond help. He was 54 years of age and was the youngest of five brothers and was unmarried. Since the death of John H. Marselis in February last he has had charge of the farming operation for Miss Marselis. The funeral took place on Monday to Maple Ridge Cemetery after services in Trinity Methodist Church.

A Spirited Contest

There is a very animated contest going on in town at present in which from seventy-five to one hundred ladies are interested. A knitting circle was formed sometime ago to encourage knitting for the soldiers and practically everyone who can knit has been knitting for dear life for several weeks, and of course was bound to cause some rivalry as to which group would produce the largest number of socks. Recently, Mrs. C. S. Smith and Mrs. Frank Mc Closkey, acting as captains, divided the membership of the circle into sides and the contest was on. It has not been confined to the membership, however, and each side has brought in many recruits, and strange to say, the older and more experienced the recruit is, the more valuable she is to the side securing her services, as the old time knitters are taking an especial delight in turning out as many pairs of socks as it is possible to knit, and of course every one of them wants their side to have the honor of doing the most work for the comfort of the soldiers at the front.

RED CROSS WORK.

Chesterville
Red Cross Work Nov. 13th

It is most gratifying to give the following account and the Society are inspised to fresh effort by the support given the work in the village and vicinity.

Cash sent to headquarters since the early part of Nov. 1915 one Red Cross year $2175 00
Expended for yarn, cotton and wool 635 40
Outlay for stationery, ledger, postage, village tax, express on yarn, cartage, bills and tickets, telephone etc. 42 94
Balance cash on hand 69 46
Sox, 603 pairs, wristlets, 16 pairs, scarves 16.

From headquarters comes the admonition that all we can do will be surely needed by those we have sent to the front and for whose up keep and comfort we through our Parliament, are responsible. As a community we have done well, let us resolve to redouble our efforts:

The Separate School Board on Friday, Nov. 17th held a box social and dance at the Music Hall in aid of the most noble work. All arrangements had been made for a large crowd, but as Winchester and Finch had similiar entertainments that evening, the committee who was responsible for the affair was somewhat disappointed.

The net proceeds $42.15 are today handed to the Sec.-treas. who desires to express her most grateful thanks and the appreciation of the Society of the enthusiastic work of the above Board.

Morewood.

The Red Cross tea last week was at the home of Mrs. J. B. Loughridge. The proceeds were $6.35.

The Red Cross tea Dec. 1st will be at the home of Mrs. A. W. Reveller at 2 o'clock. Everybody welcome.

The following articles were shipped by the Red Cross committee on Nov. 25th.—12 kit bags, 12 personal property bags, 3 comfort bags filled, 9 grey flannel shirts, 6 hospital shirts, 3 nightingales' 3 doz. 40in slings, 18 many tailed bandages, 1 doz. triangular bandages, 1 doz. T. bandages, 1 doz trench caps, 13 towels, 8 wash cloths, 14 pyjama suits, 1 roll absorbent cotton, 1 small roll gauze.

The Red Cross committee packed and shipped 48 boxes to the boys from Morewood and community who are in England and France.

Five boxes were packed and shipped to friendless boys out of the proceeds of a Red Cross tea held at the home of Mrs. George Barrington.

CARD OF THAKKS.

We wish to tender our heartfelt thanks to our friends and neighbors for the kindness and sympathy extended to us during our recent bereavement, in the death of our little daughter, Fanny Pearl Orlene, who died Nov. 18th.

Mr. and Mrs. Jno. B. Merkley and family.

TRINITY METHODIST CHURCH
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Pastor, Rev. H. E. Warren, M. A., B. D.

Subjects for Sunday, Dec. 3, 1916.

10.30 A. M.—Rev. John Puttenham, Finch, will preach.

7.00 P.M.—Mr. D. A. MacDiarmid, of Toronto, Dominion Alliance Secretary, will speak of the work of that organization. An opportunity will be given to contribnte to the Alliance Fund.

Mr. W. J. Cass will preside.

Strangers Cordially Welcomed.

Youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Ouderkirk Passes Away

(From Moose Jaw Paper)

The funeral of Douglas Grant Ouderkirk, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Ouderkirk, Fairford street west, who died in the general hospital, Saturday evening, November 11 at 6.30 was held from the general hospital Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. The late Master Grant who was stricken at his home with diphtheria, was removed to the isolation hospital last Tuesday. His condition it was thought was as well as expected until Saturday noon, when the hospital and medical authorities advised the parents that very little hope could be held out for his recovery. He passed away in the early evening.

In the absence of his pastor, Rev. W. Wilson, Rev. A. C. Reeves conducted the private funeral services. The little fellow who was beloved by all who knew him, is mourned by his parents and brother Kenneth.

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Letters From Our Soldiers Overseas.

Pte. Miller Writes of Pte. Wilburn Fetterly's Death Somewhere in France.

Somewhere in France
Sunday, Nov. 5, 1916.

Dear Mrs. Fetterly,

I regret very much the conditions under which I am now taking this my first opportunity of writing to you. You will no doubt have received an official report as to the wound which proved fatal to Wilburn. Now, as his chum and comrade, by his own request in the first place I am keeping my promise to him to write to you, although he did not tell me anything to say, so it makes it all the harder for me to write. He just said to write home. Now, I am not capable of writing to express my feelings, as he was like a brother to me, therefore I hope you will accept my sympathy as a brother as well as a chum and comrade—the three in one. It could not be otherwise as we shared each others pleasures and troubles and whatever you sent to him was shared with me and whatever I got was shared with him, as we spent the long nights in the trenches, sometimes drenched to the hide and slept together since we reached this God-for saken land. It was only natnral we grew to care for each other. You not only have my sympathy but the sympathy of all who knew him, of his comrades, his Sargeant and Corporal as well as Lieutenant, who spoke to me yesterday and expressed his intention of writing to you. He was liked by everybody he came in contact with. He did his duty without a murmur and in losing him Canada has lost another of her best. Now, I know how you people feel, but there is to be remembered that there are thousands in the same boat today and I do not know the hour my people will have the same grim news to face. There will be no one who knows my people to write home either, to ease their feelings which I feel sure would be done if they knew that there was someone who they knew would see that everything was done. The boys are good and it was great the way they helped me carry him to the dressing station under the rain of shells that Fritz sent down. Those who looked on said it was a wonder we were not all blown to bits, but we never thought of that, and my object was to get him to a dressing station as quickly as possible. I knew he had been hit pretty badly but he seemed so strong and wanted to sit up and did three or four times, that I thought he would be all right. He did not suffer much and when we got to the station the doctor gave him something to ease him until he got a fellow's foot dressed, that had been blown off. He just went to sleep and that was all. The doctor said the minute he looked at him that he was done. It was when I went to him first in the trench that he said he was done and said to write home, but I cheered him up, and he was quite hopeful at last and anxious to get to the dressing station.

One other poor fellow lost his life getting Wilburn in. He got hit in the thigh and died at the dressing station, so you see what one comrade will do for another here. The same sniper nearly got the other fellow also, but missed. I was about fifty yards from where it happened and it all occurred in a time you could count three. I am sending his snaps home; the other stuff has already been sent and if there is anything else you would like to know that I can tell you or anything you would like me to do in my power, or that I can do with the assistance of my officers whom I am sure will be only to pleased to assist me, you have only to ask. You have this consolation, that he has a respectable burial. There will be a cross on his grave and if you want to send anything for it I shall, if I am able, see that it is put on or if I can't do it, well, there are others. Lorne is in the trenches at present if he is not wounded or dead. We will be going back in a day or two and by all accounts may have a chance to get back at our enemies. I shall have two for one if he don't get me first. We just lost half our platoon in three days so I have no love for my enemies. We are all feeling the loss of our comrades so there will be a pretty grim, determined bunch of men face old Fritz this time. As I think this is all I have to say now and there is not much cheer to come from France. I am glad for myself that we got Wilburn where one can always find his grave, as there are thousands buried where their friends could never find them; lots blown to bits. Its a sight that takes nerve to look at. Well I will close hoping this will find you all well and able to enjoy the freedom we are fighting for. I have lived along side of you people all my life and I know you are christains, therefore I know you will take this sorrow to the proper One and find comfort in doing so. All we can say is God's will be done. We did what we considered our duty to Country, our God and King. When Wilburn and I made up our minds to enlist we did not do it without considering what the consequences might be but we were willing to take our chance. If I could have given my life instead of Wilburn's I would have done so, but it seemed his time had come. I know not when I may get the same but when my time comes I can not avoid it. I will say good-bye, with a feeling as only a chum and comrade can. His death leaves me quite alone among strangers but we are all comrades for one cause, one King and one God. Now I will close and may God comfort you all in your sorrow. From your old neighbour

Herbert Miller.

Lance-Corp. Edson Gray Sees the Sights of London.

London, Nov. 4, 1916.

Dear Mother,

Just a few lines to let you know I am still living and having a dandy time. I am writing this from London, as we are all on a six days pass, but will not be able to go very far on this pass. I just came up to the city, we are only about fifty miles from it anyhow, but I have certainly seen some wonderful sights. I have been up to Buckingham Palace, saw Queen Victoria's monument, the Zoological Gardens and Westminster Abbey and many other places too numerous to mention. I met Eddie Barrett last night. He is a son of Ed. Barrett who stays at Flynns. Harold will know him. He has been over here near a year, and was wounded in the battle of the Somme, shot through the left thigh but he has got around fine and is quite well and going back in a short time again. I am going out today to look up Ernest Carter, D'Alton Bolster, Jack Foster and that bunch who are all here somewhere. It is an awful sight to go through King George Hospital, to see all the wounded men.

I have to go back on Sunday night although my pass is not up until Monday night, but I was notified yesterday to report to go to Shorncliffe to take up a trench mortaring course, which may come in useful later on, and anyhow it don't cost anything for it.

You can write to my same address and I will get it O. K., I think, as I will tell someone to look after it and perhaps I will be back before an answer reaches. How are Gertie and John coming on? I wrote Kathleen yesterday from here. I can't spare too much time writing while in London as business is too rushing. I was a witness to a very interesting scene last night, two women fighting on the street. It wasn't with the tongue; they certainly did pull hair for a while but the Cop was soon on the scene. I am stoping on the Waterloo Road. It is likely Mr. Fairbrass will know where that is, fifteen shillings for five nights, bed and br akfast. Well I guess I have said about all for this time. Write soon—Lance-Corp. J. E. Gray, 633803, A. Co., 154th Highlanders Batt., Bramshott Camp, Liphook, Hants, care of Army Postoffice, London, Eng.

Extract of a Letter from Gunner I. A. Gollan 2nd Div. Ammun. Col. Sec. IV France

"In her letter Mother was mentioning some of the places taken by the Canadians. They may by easily seen on a map but here they are represented by a pile of brick and dust and some tree stumps. Mother made a good guess about the road we are travelling. It is gravel alright but it is when we turn off it that we go over our heads in mud. While travelling on this road the other night I very nearly had my name in the casualty list too. I guess you will see the names of some of the other boys who were with me, but I don't think they mention the horses. It was just a week ago last night when we got an order from one of the Batteries for ammunition. We hooked up to a limber with eight horses: got our load of ammunition and started up the road. We were going along the road Jake for several miles when suddenly—Whizz-Bang! and a few yards on our right up goes a cloud of smoke and dirt while the pieces of shrapnel and dirt dropped on our tin hats but did no harm. We kept on going until he dropped one right in the road in front of the wagon that was ahead of me. Our N. C. O. then gave us orders to unhook and beat it back. This we did and waited until Fritz had stopped for awile and then we went back. When we got back to our limbers we found where he had dropped a shell right on the side of the road where I had been standing with my team not five minutes before. We then went on with the ammunition but the pulling was so heavy we had to stop almost every hundred yards to rest our horses. We got there anyway but on the way out our wheel team played out, lying down in the mud and refusing to move. We lit a couple of matches to see where we were at and immediately Fritzie sent a few more shells over at us. Well, after a couple of hours hard work we managed with six horses to get out on the hard road again and back to camp. I felt like recommending my horses for the V. C. that night.

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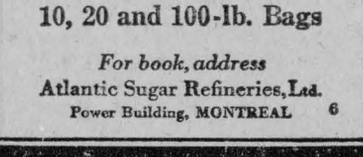

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Early December Likely to be Cold

Washington, D. C. Nov. 25—Last bulletin gave forecasts of disturbance to cross continent November 27 to Dec. 1, warm wave November 26 to 30, cool wave 29 to December 3. All weather features of this storm will be more intense than usual. The electro-magnetic force that ply between the planes will have greater energy, more force behind them than in any other storm of the month. Temperatures will not go very high with the warm wave but will go lower than usual with the cool wave and severe weather will accompany that cool wave.

Next warm wave will reach Vancouver near December 4 and temperatures will rise on all the Pacific slope. It will cross summit of Rockies by close of 5, plains sections 6. Great lakes and Ohio Valleys 7, eastern sections 8, reaching Newfoundland about December 9. Storm wave will follow about one day behind warm wave and cool wave about one day behind storm wave.

This storm wave will not be so severe as the preceding but will gain force about time its passes out onto the Atlantic. Temperatures of the five days centering on December 7 will average lower than usual. Precipitation will be in snow in northern sections and about normal in amount. Coldest part of month is expected near December 5. A great high temperature wave is expected to be approaching the central valleys on Christmas Day and will reach eastern sections a little later. Storms will be more severe than usual during week centering on December 29.

Precipitation is expected to shift to the northwestern Pacific slope, the northern Rockies and that part of Canada lying immediately east of the Rockies. The Canadian railroads through the Rockies will have much trouble with snow and our friends are warned against being caught in the snow drifts. That condition of excessive precipitation in all the far northwest is expected to continue for about a month.

During the week centering on January 25 a great change will occur in the causes that regulate precipitation and from that time on, through the crop season of 1917. the excessive precipitation will gradually depart from the extreme northwest and locate elsewhere. That change does not look good for some part of the world's 1917 crop.

We propose a test on our advice to farmers and planters about planting 1917. When the crops are made we can all easily determine whether those who are governed by their own mere guesses can succeed as well as those who made our forecasts their guide.

We regard prices of grain and cotton as unreliable and subject to great changes therefore we believe it unsafe to hold for higher prices. Most of the news about grain and cotton is manipulated for speculative purpose and cannot be relied upon. This is not the time to speculate. The time is coming, probably will arrive before first of January when speculation in grain and cotton will be safer.

For December, Jupiter will set a little after midnight. Saturn will rise near sunrise, Venus will appear in the east in the early morning, Mars will not be seen.

Lieut. G. F. McDonald Falls in Battle.

Lieut. George Fraser Macdonald of Alexandria, son of Lieut.-Col. Macdonald, O. C., 154th Battalion, has been killed in action.

Lieut. Macdonald enlisted in an Ottawa battalion and left Ottawa last June for England. The unit was broken up and he went to the firing line with a draft.

He was born at Alexandria 23 years ago and had many friends in this city. He has one other brother in the army and his father is now in England with a Highland Battalion and is training the unit for service at the front.

No details have been received of the casualty, but it is thought that he fell in the heavy engagement that claimed so many former Ottawa boys.

A Land Without a Train.

The Canary Islands, which cover an area of 2800 square miles of land and form a province of Spain, may literally be described as a land without a river or a railway; and now the people are in great difficulties, because their only means o transport, the mule, is disappearing owing to the war.

Huge quantities of bananas, tomatoes, and other fruits have to be conveyed daily from the plantations to the ports, and for this purpose mules in teams of six have been used. The demand for mules for the armies of Europe, however, has become so great that their price has risen almost to a prohibitive height while the cost of feeding the animals has doubled.

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The Ottawa Winter Fair.

Each year some new feature of importance to the farmers of Eastern Ontario and Quebec is brought out or emphasized at the Ottawa Winter Fair and the 1917 Show, which will be held from January 16 to 19th, will be no exception. Each year also finds this great Winter Fair larger than ever before in one or more departments. Sheep and poultry were special features at the last Show, both these departments having the largest and best display in the history of the Show.

Ottawa is situated in one of the greatest dairy sections in Canada and should the best three day dairy test of any Show in Canada. The dairy classes will be a special feature in connection with the coming Show. The dairy buildings are unequalled by any other Show in Canada and the conditions are ideal for making high records as the animals are stabled in the most modern, well lighted, heated and ventilated stables. Arrangements are being made for the installation of equipment that will make it possible to test the milk after each milking and to have the results tabulated and posted in the stables. so that the exhibitors will know after each milking just exactly what their animals are doing. Arrangements are also being made for having the stables specially superintended so that the ventilation and sanitary conditions will be as near ideal as possible.

In connection with special privileges extended to members of Farmer's Institutes, the Executive of of the Ottawa Winter Fair have found it advisable and necessary to discontinue extending special pass privileges to the members of the Farmers' Institutes and County Boards of Agriculture. Although the Institute passes have been discontinued, a general special admission rate has been adopted in the way of strip tickets at the rate of eight for One Dollar and these may be obtained through Secretaries of County Boards of Agriculture.

Profitable Sheep

A farmer in Renfrew County who finds sheep very profitable gives the following:—"I have one sheep here that I think is hard to beat. She gave birth to three ram lambs about the middle of April and suckled them all summer. I sold them the other day to Sam Wallace our Beachburg drover, and they tipped the beam at 145, 130 and and 125 lbs. a total of 400 lbs. Those lambs got no grain or anything but what they got on pasture. This sheep also produced 7 or 8 lbs of wool at 50c a pound and I bought her two years ago for $6 from a man who was going out of sheep, said they did not pay. With lambs selling at 9½c per pound you can easily figure their value."

Visitor—You don't know who I am, do you Jimmy?

Jimmy—Naw!

Visitor—Aha! I know who you are, though.

Jimmy—Aw, that ain't nothin'—I know that myself.

"D'ye think the fighting 'll be over this year, Mrs. Brackett?"

"Well, I do, an' I don't, as the sayin' is. My ole Bill's a glutton when 'e starts, an' 'e'll talks some stoppin' now 'e's got the law on 'is side for onst."

The Following Letter was Received from Sergt. James A. Clement of the 154th Batt. Highlanders

Brandon, Ireland
Nov. 11, 1916.

Dear Mother;—

I have not as yet received word from home so it is very hard for one to write and receive no answer. I came down to Cork with French whose home is here. We were in Dublin for a day and saw Dublin Castle. From there we went to Cork and remained there about half a day and from Cork we came out to Brandon and have been here three days. I think I will have to go back alone as French has appendicitis and is going to the hospital.

We spent a day with French's uncle, a Mr. Beamish. He is a landlord and is very well to do. They have a fine house and several thousand acres and aer very fine people.

We passed Blarney Castle intending to visit it but I am afraid we cannot on account of French being sick.

Ireland is old and is not as nice as England. It is more neglected. We saw the effect of the revolution in Dublin, a whole street left in ruins.

There are prayers offered in all the Churches throughout Ireland for the shortening of the war and the Church bells are always ringing. The people here seem very poor especially in the cities. Thousands of young children are running around barefooted and very ill clad althought it is not cold here I think it is very uncomfortable in barefeet. The farms are not so well run as in Canada and the people think Canada is the only good country on earth. Prices of everything are very high. Eggs are 80 cents per dozen meat is very dear, coal costs about $16 per ton and soft coal at that. In England you cannot get milk or sugar and tea is scarce and dear. The country is not as nice now as in the summer but it is very picturesque. I will close with love to all. From your affectionate son.

James.

Tells Editor why he gets goods from Mail Order Houses

Recently a merchant in a rural town happened to see a farmer receive a box at the depot and noticed that it was from a mail order house. He also noticed that the goods were right in his line and same as he carried for years. He immediately approached the farmer and said:—

"I could have sold you the goods you have here for less money than the mail order house and saved you the freight.

"Then why don't you do so?" said the farmer. "I have taken the local paper for a year and have not seen a line about you selling these or any other goods. This mail order house sends advertising matter to me asking for my trade, and they get it. If you have any bargains, why don't you put them in the paper so we can see what they are?"

Now if the practice of the farmer was good business for him and his town, why would it not be for Chesterville.

If the practice of the latter was bad business for him and his town, why is it not bad business for Chestervilie?

Forty Miles on Gallon of Gasoline

Clifford Drew, the enterprising south end barber, has invented an appliance for motor cars whereby the milage on a gallon of gasoline is about doubled. He has applied for patents in Canada and United States and in the meantime is selling the appliance and having it manufactured in Mt. Forest. Cliff drives a Ford and had noticed that in damp weather the engine ran more freely and used less gas than on dry days. About a month ago he conceived the bright idea of making every day a damp day as far as the motor was concerned. Steam from the radiator was admitted to the gasoline entering the motor and the vaporizing process gave amazing results. Where he had been running 22 and 23 miles on a gallon of gasoline he was able to go 40 miles. On the first of September he motored to Toronto via Guelph and Hamilton and made the trip (102) miles on two and a half gallons gasoline.—Mt. Forest Representative.

The Mistress—Mary what is that old paint-pot doing on the corner shelf?

The Cook—It belongs to the man who worked here last spring.

The Mistress—You may throw it away.

The Cook—I'll do nothing of the sort, mum. It's all I have to remember him by.

The Best Christmas Present

That is what many write us, who make a gift of a Youth's Companion subscription to a friend or relative. Thousands can recall the first Christmas that the Companion came into the house and how it passed from one to another as a most precious thing, and the beauty of it was that every week it was looked for, and pounced upon and devoured, and everything else put aside for it. You can bring that same sense of delight into any home by sending The Youth's Companion to it for a year—$2.25—less than four cents a week.

The Companion Home Calendar goes to every new subscriber and to everyone who makes a gift subscription.

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For Infants and Children
In Use For Over 30 Years
Always bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher

Dominion House!

CHESTERVILLE, ONT.

T. FLYNN, Proprietor

This hotel has lately been renovated and is in a position to cater to the travelling public.

Always in stock the choicest brands of cigars and soft drinks.

PRICES ARE ADVANCING

Don't neglect placing Your order early for

Roofing
Eavetroughing
Hot Air & Hot Water Furnaces
Plumbing Etc.

Have your work done by skilled mechanics. Satisfaction guaranteed.

FYKE & JACKSON
Tinsmiths, Plumbers & Electricians

The REXALL Store

25% Discount

I have recently purchased the Drug and Medicine stock of Mr. C. Casselman and find that it duplicates many lines of goods carried by myself, also other goods that I do not stock. In order to reduce the stock and make room, I will offer a lot of these goods at a DISCOUNT OF 25 PER CENT. during the rest of this year.

We are opening our stock of

CHRISTMAS and HOLIDAY GOODS

And invite your inspection

Come in and see what we have to offer you in money saving goods.

W. G. BOLSTER

Druggist and Stationer

CHESTERVILLE

PHONE 34. P.O. Box 188

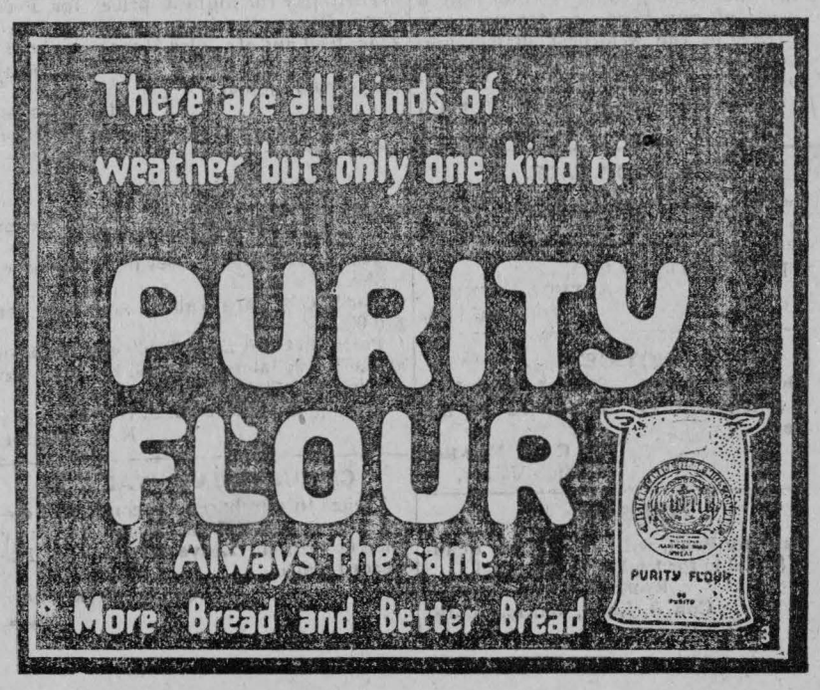
Preparedness is Protection

The greatest nations require to be prepared should troubles arise.

It is much more necessary that each and every person be prepared—for accident and sickness, which will cause earning to cease and expenses to increase.

Take out an accident and sickness policy in the Ocean Accident Guarantee Co. and protect your income.

E. B. LYNCH, Agent.



THE LEADING HOUSE

Seed Time

Here's seed time drawing nigh. Farmers, are you ready? Where to buy your seeds. Investigate, and you will find our qualities are always superior to others. Compare our prices with the other fellows'. Varieties as follows :—

CLOVERS	TIMOTHY	SEED OATS
Choice Medium Red Choice Mammoth Red Special No. 1 Alsike Choice No. 2 Alsike Fancy No. 2 Alfalfa	Fancy No. 1 Timothy Choice No. 2 Timothy (No. for purity)	Rennie's Early Yielder White Wave 20th Century American Banner White

Seed Wheat	Seed Peas	Seed Barley
Marquis (Bald) Red Fife (Bald) Goose (Bearded)	Golden Vine Prince Albert Prussian Blue	Duck Bill Mandscheuri O. A. C. No. 21

SEED CORN

We thoroughly test all the corn handled by us before it is shipped out. None of our corn will germinate less than 85% , and most of it will grow 95 to 100%.

FLINT VARIETIES	DENT VARIETIES
Longfellow Compton's Early Canada Yellow 8 Rowed King Philip, Red Nor. Dakota, White Sandford, White	White Cap Yellow Dent Improved Leaming Mammoth Southern Sweet Wisconsin No. 7

We invite inspection. Our prices are right.

Feeding Molasses We have a few barrel on hand and can make a sp'c'l price for balance

FEED ! FEED ! FEED !

We carry a good stock of all lines and your order can be executed at any time

Johnston & MacCourtie
Flour, Feed and Seed Merchants
WINCHESTER, Phone 84 ONT.

Rubbers and Overcoats

There won't be a day between now and next spring that you can step out without wanting either or both.

This year with leather going sky-high its the best economy to wear rubbers all you can and save the leather shoes.

Heavy rubbers are comfortable and light for winter and the sooner you get into them and save the leather for next spring the more you will be in pocket.

We have your right size now. Come in and get them.

We have been selling a lot of overcoats. In fact a new shipment is just opened up to fill our range of sizes.

They have the same stylish lines as the others and just as pleasing shades. If you need a new coat let us show you these.

Underwear, Gloves, Mitts, Caps, Ties etc.

H. J. McMahon

NOTICE

Any one wishing to buy sell or rent a property of any kind or for rate on Insurance in the wealthest British and Canadian tarrif or non-tarrif Company's. Apply.

BARKLEY THE REAL ESTATE MAN,
Newington.

FARM FOR SALE.

Two good farms for sale in the Township of Williamsburg, fair prices on easy terms, bargain for immediate buyer. For particulars apply to

ARTHUR FLYNN,
Morrisburg, Ont.

NOTICE

I have purchased a No. 1 Yorkshire hog which will be for service at my place.

C. M. MUNRO,
Nation Valley,

FOR SALE.

Standing Bush, will sell in any quantity. Suitable for timber or firewood.

ROBT. C. COLQUHORN
Con. 5, Lot 7, Williamsburg.

JUNK WANTED

I will pay the highest price for Feed Bags, Rags, Rubbers, Copper, Brass. Zinc, lead and etc., also Magazines, books and journals. A postal card will bring me to your home.

M. AGULNIK,
52-3 Chesterville.

FOR SALE.

$150.00 Five-piece Mahogany Parlor Set, will sell for $90.00.

$40.00 Drophead Sewing Machine, will sell for $20.00.

$20 00 Oak Card Table, will sell for $10.00.

Parlor Set and Card Table can be seen at the house lately occupied by the undersigned.

Sewing Machine at C. S. Smith's.

R. M. SMITH.

CIRCULAR SAW WANTED

I want to purchase a second had circular saw mounted on stand, in fairly good condition. Leave particulars at The Record Office.

OSCAR BECKSTEAD,
Elma.

The School Question as a Ratepayer Sees It.

To the Chesterville Record:—

As many of your readers are interested in the status of the Winchester and Chesterville High Schools, a few words on the subject may be allowed.—

A few years ago Chesterville, Winchester and Morewood Continuation School Districts were formed, comprising the two villages and the Township of Winchester. The results of even the first year showed the township ratepayers that they had been duped. The late Premier of the Province was also convinced that some remedy must be provided, and after advising with some of the leading County officials, these Continuation Schools were changed to High Schools, so as to allow of the dissolution of those districts by the County Councils, if the people petitioned for such dissolution.

In October 1914 and again in January 1915 petitions, signed by very many more than the necessary 60 per cent., were presented to the Counties Council praying for the dissolution of the Winchester and Chesterville High School districts. This request was granted and the County Council on Jan. 28th, 1915 passed bylaws numbered 1741 and 1742 dissolving the Winchester and Chesterville High School districts.

This would relieve the Winchester Township ratepayers from direct taxation to either of these schools for maintenance. They would still be liable for two thirds of the cost of buildings and grounds. This should have been satisfactory all round, the four villages in Dundas County being placed on exactly the same basis, and the township the same.

In the face of this a couple of Winchester Village smart, I should say small, business men (who seemed to be possessed with the idea that this world and all that it contains was intended for the sole use of the people of their village) devised a plan in collusion with the Acting Minister of Education, to set at naught the action of the County Council and saddle the township with an unjust share of taxation.

The Township Council announced some time ago that they did not intend to pay any heed to the legislation obtained by stealth last April (not even the member for Dundas County having been consulted) and would adhere to the County Council Bylaws.

Now, I understand the Winchester High School Board threatens suit to compel the payment of school rates by Township, and at a meeting at Winchester on Saturday last, at which both parties were represented by their council, Mr. Lawson on behalf of the Township made the offer (to avoid expensive litigation) that the Township Council would pay the requisition for the year ending Dec. 31st, on condition that the legislation of last session be repealed and the By-laws of County Council established, and also offered to assist the village in securing such legislation.

Let us look at what the conditions are if the By-laws are established.

Winchester Township pays two thirds of the cost of building and grounds, (Deb.). Pays 100 per cent. of the total cost of maintenance of any township pupil sent to High School. Any reasonable person should surely be satisfied with that; but no, these people who think the world was created for them and them alone, want in addition, that the Township also pay for the village pupils. This proposal was so outrageous that when proposed some township ratepayers offered to take up a subscription to aid the village in educating their children.

It looks at present like a long and expensive litigation before any settlement is reached.

RATEPAYER

HONOR ROLL

S. S. No. 16 Winchester.

Class V—Ellen Munro 59.

Sr. IV—Charlie Short 58, Myrtle Droppo 53.

Jr. IV—Nina Short 57.

Class III—Burnice Wood 73, Grant Johnston 49, Grant Pickering 49, Velma Wood 43.

Class II—Gertrude Kendrick 58, Iris Merkley 57, Harold Droppo 56, Willie Servage 54, Madeline Wood 46.

Pr. sr.—Gladys Kendrick, Lola Wood, Leaphy Droppo.

FULTON BROS.

The Store of Quality
But not of high price.

Apples Apples

We have now in store 100 barrels of apples consisting of Tallman Sweets, Spys, Russetts, Ben Davis, Starks, Pippins, Greenings etc. Come and get what you want before they are all picked over.

$4.25, $5.50 and $5.75 per barrel.

Fresh Groceries

FOR CHRISTMAS BAKING

New Raisins, Dates, Nuts, Peels etc. Do your baking early.

Automobile Skates

We have received our annual shipment of these high clrss skates and have them in all models in the different sizes. Buy a pair of Automobiles and have the btst. Other cheaper skates from 50c. to $6.00.

Hockey Sticks, Pucks, Electric Tape Straps and Skate Screws.

We are well stocked with Axes, Shovels, Handles, Glass and all seasonable goods.

Best American Oil 15c per gallon.

FULTON BROS.

CHESTERVILLE, ONT.

Pr. jr.—Irvin Casselman.

E. M. SMITH, teacher.

Morewood High School

Form I Eng. Grammer—Emile Dagenais 86, Jessie Steen 84, Jakie Smirle 68, Cuthbert Gollan 62, Alice Coulthart 60, Evelyn Swerdfeger 58, Ella McLaren 54, Orland Bogart 52, Ella Burd 52, Ruth Shaver 48. Gladys Coulthart 40, Emerson Swerdfeger 40, Maxie Martin 38, Cecil McConnell.

Form III Anc. History. Total 100—A. Steen 56, F. Jervis 56, L. Allison 55, L. Coulthart 55, Z. Shaver 51, E. MacGregor O. Swerdfeger 42, E. Elliott 34, F. Weaver 28, E. Nelson 25, L. Hunter 24, R. Andrew 20, W. Barrington 18.

Form III Practical Geometry— A. Steen 99, L. Coulthart 98, L. Hunter 98, L. Allison 95, E. MacGregor 95, E. Nelson 95, O. Swerdfeger 93, Z. Shaver 89, F. Jervis 85, F. Weaver 84, E. Elliott 77, R. Andrew 76, W. Barrington 55,

Form II Arith.—C, Allison 64, M. Currie 53. N. Swerdfeger 51, W. Thompson 47, Jno. Whittaker 46, L. Barclay 44, C. Coulthart 42, M. Wilson 51, Jas. Steven 41, F. Sparks 37. E. Reveler 34, L. Marshall 33, I. York 32, L. Feely 26, C. MacGregor 23, J. MacGregor 20, N. Gollan 19, A. Ault 13, Jno. Glasgow 12, O. Bogart 10, G. MacGregor and R, Swerdfeger absent.

Absence for any reason means failure in schoolwork. Attend all day and everyday.

Chesterville High School

Examinations held Nov. 24, 1916.

Form III, Algebra—R. Hamilton 85, L. McGowan 79, B. McMahon 78, G. Robinson 75, H. Meredith69, A. Durant 65, R. Pickering 60, A. Kyle 59, E. Gray 52 H. Moore 52, J. McGee 45, W. Clement 45, T. Lapierre 40, F. Masterson 35, A. Lawson 32, M. Allen 28, A. Barkley 19, L. Bolster 16, H. Hummel 15, A. McMahon 10, E. Moore 9, E. Casselman 6, J. Nesbitt 5.

Form II History—M. Beckett 69, C. Fetterly 52, M. Sullivan 51, V. Masterson 50, L. Beckstead 46, M, Clement 45, S, Rushman 44, J. Walsh 43, M. Flynn 43, H. Dwyer 41, S. O'Grady 37, W. Helmer 34, J. Soule 33, S. Foley 32, M. Sanders 31, H. McMillan 28, M. Smith 28, R. Droppo 25, E. Kirby 23, G. Sullivan 22, V. Kittle 22, L. Empey 21, M. Barrett 18, H. Sauve 18, E. Carr 17, L. Hummel 15, E. Curran 13, T. Servage 10 E. Merkley 8, O. Forbes 7, L. Merkley 3, K. Rady 2, R. Moran 2. A. Manley 2.

Form I Literature—M. Rady 83, G. McMahon 82, R. McMillan 79, B. McLean 76, K. Clement 72, F, Casselman 72 E. Flynn 70, W. Warren 69, N. McMahon 69, B. Froats 68, G. Carr 67, N. Kittle 66, G. Foley 65, H. Beehler 65, Effie Droppo 65, E. Merkley 64, B. Cramer 63, R. Hummel 62, K. Foley 60, C. Barclay 58, W. Barkley 56, H. Hamilton 53, F. Barrett 50, L. Johnston 49. A. Barkley 40, A. Murphy 43, C. Morran 43, Earl Droppo 41, H. Darling 36, A. Ball 25.

COURT of REVISION

Notice is hereby given that a Court will be held pursuant to the Ontario Voters' List Act, by His Honor, the Judge of the County Court of the United Counties of Stormont, Dundas and Glengarry at the

TOWN HALL, MORRISBURG
On the 8th day of December, 1916,

at One O'Clock in the afternoon, to hear and determine the several complaints of errors and omissions in the Voters' List of the Municipality of Williamsburg for 1916.

All persons having business at the Court are required to attend at the same time and place.

Dated this 22nd day of November, 1916.

GEO. LANE,
Clerk of said Municipality.

Auction Sale.

Dec. 1st—3 miles West of Crysler. Live Stock and Implements—Mrs. J. D. McCleary, Prop. Jas. Currie, Auct.

STRAW FOR SALE.

Between thirty and forty loads of Oat Straw, free from yellow weed seeds. Price $5.00 per load. Expect to thresh early in December and will reserve straw for parties as orders are taken.

W. H. CASSELMAN.

LOST

Somewhere between Chesterville and Morewood, a muskrat stole 72 inches long. Finder please leave at The Record Office.

GIRLS WANTED.

One for General Housework, $12 a month; one to sew. Apply

FLEMING, Tailor, Morewood.

WARNING.

A Grey Goat Skin Robe and a Scotch Steamer Rug were taken from my car in Morewood on November 21st. The party taking these will save considerable trouble to himself if returned to Joe Moore's, Morewood, at once.

THOS. MCCONNELL.

HOLSTEINS WANTED

I want at once fifty grade Holsteins due to freshen between January 1st and March 1st. Apply

A. R. KENDRICK
Telephone 100 r 34 Chesterville.

Born

MCLEAN—In Chesterville, on Wednesday, Nov. 29th, 1916, to Mr. and Mrs. Charles McLean, a daughter.

Phone No. 35 A. P.O. Box 114.

Christmas Opening at Bogart's

Christmas is a very small word, but consider the thousand and one things it means to you.
Our advertising man has anticipated this and after a satisfactory trip into the Toyland of Christmas, he has returned, and from this week on, until after Christmas different lines of goods will appear, each week featuring a few. The reason for this is that our Christmas lines are unlimited.
We are now working overtime fitting up one of our large showrooms upstairs with Christmas Goods. When it is finished and you have been shown through it will certainly be something to talk about. This Fairyland of Christmas will be in charge of one of our competent sales ladies.

OUR LADIES' DEPT. (Down Stairs)

You will find here the Famous Monarch Knitted Goods in SWEATERS, SWEATER COATS and a KNITTED SUIT, consisting of Coat and Pants for the Kiddies.

Our Furs are a novelty and also a money saving proposition. We have many kinds on sight including MINK, MINK-MARMOT, SABLE, OPPOSSUM, MUSKRAT in neck-pieces and muffs to match, and also in fur coats.

GENTS' FURNISHINGS

This department radiates Christmas to you gentlemen.
Our line of haberdashery is complete and will appeal to you.
Also our line of Gents' Furnishings such as Suits, Overcoats, Shoes Etc.
Remember we handle the famed "Invictus Shoe." We have your size and also remember that our price list on these for next year has advanced beyond our greatest imagination.
Your time to buy is now.

Parents--Be prepared for the cold weather when it swoops down. Buy our 12-4 Flannelette Blankets

Important Notice

Do not fail to read our feature advertisement next week.

We appreciate a share of your patronage.

G. W. BOGART, = = CHESTERVILLE

SANDTOWN

Wedding bells are ringing loud and clear.

Miss Muriel Helmer spent the week-end with her aunt Mrs. Peter Droppo.

Mr. Smith McMillan was a business caller here recently.

Mrs. Ed. Ostler also Mrs. Erastus Helmer spent Thursday with Mrs. Sandy Gordon.

Mr. Lloyd McMillan purchased a fine pair of sheep from Wm. Boal.

Daniel Hehit Sr. and R. J. Waldorff both of this vicinity made a business trip to Cornwall on Monday.

Peter Ferguson of Bunkers Hill was a business caller to this hamlet on Monday last.

Miss Effie Warley spent the past week at Jas. Winter's sewing.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Winter spent Sunday with their grand parents Mr. and Mrs. John Holland of Seventh ave.

Mr. and Mrs. Dannie Hehir Jr. spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John Ostler.

Mr. and Mrs. Earnie Rombough and daughter little Miss Helen of Newington spent Sunday with Mr. and Mas. Jas. Winter.

Mrs. Tom Fossitt spent Sunday with Mrs. Arthur McMillan.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordan Helmer of Newington were recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Helmer.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellison Scott and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John Boal.

MELVIN.

Inspector J. W. Forrester visited our school on Wednesday last.

Miss Hattie Carruthers of Crysler spent the past week with her uncle Mr. A. Gainer.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Patterson attended the funeral of Mrs. N. McIntosh at Winchester Springs on Sunday.

Mr. Louis Gauthier and family were down to St. Albert's on Monday to the funeral of the former's father.

Several of Mr. Allan Patterson's friends honoured his birthday on Monday by being guests at a dinner given by his wife. Among those present were his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Patterson of Winchester Springs, his grandmother, Mrs. J. Timmins of Inkerman, his aunt Mrs. Jas. Davidson and Mr. and Mrs. Abram Bailey with their daughters Keitha and Mary of Winchester Springs.

Mrs. A. Baxter arrived home on Tuesday, having spent the past four weeks in Ottawa with her friend Mrs. Jno. Black. We are glad to say that Mr. Black is improving in health.

MOREWOOD.

Wedding bells are ringing.

We are sorry to hear Mr. Clifton Carlyle is on the sick list.

Miss Eva MacMillan and Miss Cameron of Finch spent Tuesday in town.

Mr. Harold Faulkner made a business trip through the Melvin Settlement on Monday.

Miss Onah MacGregor has returned home from Kingston.

A number of the M. & O. Railroad men were in town on Tuesday.

Miss Laura Moffat was called home to attend to her sister, Miss Bell, who is sick.

Miss Lola Bogart of Ottawa was the guest of Messrs. Jas. and Geo. Bogart's.

The High School teacher from Chesterville conducted the service in the Methodist Church on Sunday morning.

Misses Eva Fetterly and Jessie Faulkner spent one day last week the guests of Mrs. K. Cochrane, Pana.

Three young boys walked to Chesterville on Sunday afternoon.

BOUCK'S HILL

Mrs. B. Stilson spent Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Allen Barkley.

Mr. and Mrs. Elgin Herriman and family were calling on friends here Monday.

We are sorry to say that Mrs. Ira Weegar is to be taken to Cornwall General Hospital to undergo an operation for appendicitis.

Our cheese factory closed the last of the week after a successful season.

Miss Carrie Barkley was the guest of her friend, Miss Lou Weegar.

Mrs. B. Stilson and Mrs. A. Barkley spent Thursday with Mrs. Chas. Lane.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. VanAllen, and Mr. W. Baker of Riverside. Mr. and Mrs. M. Marcellus of Dunbar, Mrs. M. Stata, Massena, N. Y. and Mr. and Mrs. John Bowman were guests at Mr. M. A. Barkley's.

Mr. and Mrs. Mackenzie Barkley of Elma were calling on friends here on Monday.

Mrs. Aggie Garlough of Cornwall is at present the guest of Mrs. Mayhew Tupper.

Mrs. Nathanial is ill at present. We hope for a speedy recovery.

A large crowd visited our Hill on Monday attending the council meeting in Mr. Barkley's Hall.

COLQUHOUN

A number from here attended the sale at Mrs. Jas. Pitts' at Grantley.

Mr. Earnie McMillan of Lunenburg was visiting friends here recently.

Mr. Sam Kyle makes his regular trips west. Must be some attractions Sam?

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Countryman visited their daughter, Mrs. Willie Kennedy on Thursday.

Mrs. Dawson of Grantley was visiting at Mr. John Colquhoun's recently.

Miss Mae Kyle was around collecting for the Red Cross fund one day last week.

Miss Nellie Kennedy spent the week-end with her cousin, Miss Fader at Grantley.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie MacMillan and daughter Hazel spent Sunday the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Wallace.

Master Elburn Carr spent the week-end with his grandparents here.

Mr. Will Fader and sister Miss Sarah spent Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Willie Kennedy.

LIVE STOCK CONVENTION
AND SHORT COURSE

A two-day live stock Judging Demonstration will be held in a comfortably heated and seated tent at

FINCH Wednesday & Thursday **DEC. 6 & 7**

This event is being held under the auspices of the Stormont Board of Agriculture, the District Branch of the Department of Agriculture, Morrisburg, and the Provincial Dept. of Boards of Agriculture, Toronto

PROGRAMME

WEDNESDAY, DEC. 6th. 1916.

1·30 P. M.—DAIRY CATTLE.—Address on Breeds, Types, Stabling, Feeding and Management, and a demonstration in judging classes of Dairy Cows which will be in the ring, by Prof. A. R. Ness, MacDonald College, Que.

3.30 P. M.—Judging Competition for young men under 25 years of age.

THURSDAY, DEC. 7th, 1916,

1.30 P. M.—HORSES—Address on Breeding, Care and Management and a Demonstration in judging classes of horses in the ring, by Mr. C. Schuyler, Brantford.

3.30 P. M:—Judging Competition for young men under 25 years of age.

A Similar Event with same demonstrators and Programme will be held at . . . Winchester, Dec. 4 & 5

You cannot afford to miss either day. Plan ahead to attend this Farmers' Convention. Everybody cordially invited.

G. A. PUTNAM	D. H. McDIARMID,	E. P. BRADT,
Prov. Director Bds of Agr.	Sec. Stormont Bd. of Agr.	Dist Representative
TORONTO, ONT.	AVONMORE, ONT.	MORRISBURG.

BERWICK

The remains of the late Mr. Albert Johnston of Wales, passed through town on Friday, when he was laid to rest in St. John's English church cemetery at Crysler.

Mrs. Mary Lepalme of Chesterville spent a few days last week with her sister.

Mr. J. Meilleur has moved this week to Mr. Robt. Meldrum's farm a mile north of town.

Mr. Wm. Galvin was in Ottawa on Thursday.

Mrs. Wm. Spotten was in Cornwall on Tuesday.

Miss Sadie Galvin has returned home from Edwards.

Mrs. A. MacMillan has moved into the house which was lately occupied by J. Meilleur.

Mr. Jas. Hutt of Ottawa is visiting relatives in town.

Mrs. C. Alguire and little daughter Lola of Finch, were the guests of her sister on Wednesday.

Mr. Frank Galvin returned home on Tuesday from Massena, where he was visiting for a few days.

We understand that there were a few more young men enlisted here on Tuesday of this week.

There was a dance in the Town Hall on Tuesday night in aid of the Red Cross. It was a success.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Munro of Arnprior were renewing acquaintances in town on Monday.

S. S. No. 10 Winchester.

Names in order of merit.

Sr. IV—Olive Smith, Stella Masterson, Albert Smith.

Jr. IV—Leola Pitcher, Bert Beattie, Gerald Kearns, Ernest Cross, Fiedella Hummel.

Jr. III—Lulu Morrell, Joseph Moran, Cecil Kearns, Elmer Cross, Edna Shay, Ruby Perault.

Class II—Kenneth Hummel, Anna Perault, Donald Hummel.

Class I—Lola Hummel.

Pr. C—Dorothea Cross, Donald Cross, Edmund Yonne.

Pr. B—Wilson Johnston, Mabel Hummel, Floyd Edgerton, John Perault.

A. G. MASTERSON, teacher.

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How the Bombs Come Down.

Many interesting descriptions have been given of long-distant effects in the country of Zeppelin raids, but here are two or three impressions noted at the time, not at a distance, nor in the country.

The most noticeable was perhaps the difference between the reports of gunfire and the explosions of the bombs. Guns, no matter what their calibre, boom; Zeppelin bombs do not. Dropping on a hard surface, they explode with a very loud, sharp, cracking sound—the sound of the biggest imaginable Chinese or jumping cracker. And they make a good solid road tremble for an instant. They are no more alarming in effect upon ordinary nerves than a really pretentious fireworks display but, of course, bombs are dangerous if we needlessly expose ourselves to them.

The only things which seemed really alarmed on this particular night were the water-birds from a large lake. They were actually flying through the night air before human ears had detected the approach of the Zeppelins. Up and flying distractedly with the most dolorous cries they were, so that, not suspecting airships, one exultantly exclaimed, "Migrating birds travelling by night." But they had heard the Zeppelins, and loud and long their outcry lasted, when all excitement, save in their own troubled breasts, was gone. The little brown owls were very active, but did not seem afraid. They were piping away like the distant whistles of tiny streamers in a dream. But they do that on ordinary warm nights, so that this was not unusual except, perhaps, for the fact that all piped together, making the night seem full of plucky, cheeping little brown owls.

But the most surprising effect remains to be noted. It was the extraordinary whistling of the bombs as they descended at the first coming of the sound the impression was momentarily again of the migrating birds—the curious whistling of the wings of a near-by flying swan. But the sound was too prolonged for that, nor yet quite like it. It might have been the ringing sound of a telegraph wire travelling to the ear from a distant point at which the wire had been struck by a stick, or the sharp whistling ring of a field of ice on which someone far away has sharply dashed a stone. It was a fascinating, long-lasting sound, seeming to fill the high air as if it had material substance and never to be forgotten.

The actual time taken by a bomb to reach the ground, if dropped from a height of 8000 feet, would be 22½ seconds. In that time a champion sprinter would run 225 yards, but the bomb, as it reaches the ground, would have a velocity of from 200 to 250 yards a second. It is interesting to remember that bombs from a moving airship do not fall vertically. If the airship is travelling at 30 miles an hour, the bomb on being released, is travelling forward at the same rate, and does travel forward as well as downward until its momentum is exhausted and gravity pulls it down. It describes a curved path through the air, and actually falls 1000 feet ahead of the spot at which it was liberated. If the pace of the airship be 60 miles an hour, then the bomb comes to earth 2000 feet in advance of the spot at which it was released. The comparatively long time taken by a bomb to reach the ground accounts for the prolonged whistling which we hear accompanying its descent. Mathematical calculations of this sort do not occur readily to the mind at the moment of crisis, but they may be usefully memorised in advance. For the rest, the conditions are so far from terrifying as to enable calmly and with intense interest to note the effects produced by the disturbance.

A schoolmistress asked her class to explain the word "bachelor," and was very much amused when a little girl answered, "A bachelor is a very happy man."

"Where did you learn that?" asked the mistress.

"Father told me," the little girl replied.

PRODUCE MORE EGGS

By F. C. Elford, Dominion Poultry Husbandman.

Canada wants eggs and more eggs. Never were the prospects for a bigger demand and better prices more promising than right now.

In spite of this, with the cost of grain high and the prices for poultry meat good, the tendency will be for farmers and poultrymen to sell stock that should produce the high-priced eggs this winter. The fear is that eggs cannot be produced at a profit, but, though a good price can be obtained for the meat at present and high prices will have to be paid for the feed, eggs will be correspondingly high and eggs can be produced at a profit even with the high prices of grain, if proper conditions are supplied.

COST TO PRODUCE A DOZEN EGGS—Last winter at the Experimental Farm a pen of 100 pullets whose per cent egg yield by months ranged from 5% in November to 50% in April, an average of 27% for the six months, produced eggs at a cost of 24 cts. per dozen. The percentage of egg yield determines more than anything else the cost of production for instance, when the egg was 20% the cost was 21 cts. per dozen, and at 40% yield the cost was only 10½ cts, per dozen.

This pen was selected as it was thought to be equal in production to an average farm flock. The average dozen eggs sold for 20 cts. more than the cost of feed required to produce it.

Each hen gave 99 cts. over cost of feed in the six months, which, though not large, shows that even at the high price of feed, eggs can be produced at a profit. The prices paid for grain were local Ottawa prices and were high. The price received for the eggs was 44 cts. per dozen. This was not as high as the local market and no higher than many farmers obtained during the same time. But the farmer in addition might cut down cost, for he has table scraps, milk and other feeds that may be used which were not available here. To make a profit this year, business methods must be adopted and a few suggestions that may help follow.

KILL ALL NON-PRODUCERS—Keep only the best pullets for eggs and the best year old hens for breeding. For good chicks must be produced next spring as well as eggs this winter.

More than ever will it be advisable to get rid of everything that does not produce. Market pullets not matured enough to start laying before early winter. Sell all the hens that are more than two years old, also all cockerels that are not intended for breeding purposes. If the cockerels can be kept until later and well fed, a bigger price will be obtained, but better sell all now than take up space required by the early pullets.

HOUSING—See that the house into which the birds go is suitable. Have plenty of sunlight and fresh air. Keep all draughts out and be sure it is dry. See that the front of the house, from eighteen to twenty inches above the floor, has glass and cotton. Make these windows so that they can be opened every day if desired. Shut up all holes in every part of the house that might cause a draught. Double line the north side so as to give the hens greater protection while on roosts. If the house is inclined to be damp, more ventilation helps. It is also a good plan to put in a straw loft. If this cannot be arranged, because of the nature of the roof, tack slats below the rafters then stuff straw in between. See that the house is perfectly clean and free from mites, then get the pullets in at once.

Do not overcrowd. Give an average of five square feet of floor space to each bird of the heavy varieties and four to the lighter or Leghorn type. If there are too many pullets for the available space cull out the poorer ones. Fifty pullets with sufficient accommodation will give more eggs than sixty in crowded quarters.

FEEDING—The question of feed is the hardest one to solve this year because practically all feeds are high. It will pay to feed the pullets well from the start, though the hens might feed more lightly till the middle of January. Where possible, use feeds grown on the farm. Good wheat screenings, shrunken wheat, barley, oats, or buckwheat, all make suitable feed. Clover and milk cover a multitude of feeds and cut down the cost. If these can be fed, animal foods such as beefscrap may be curtailed or dispensed with. High-priced mashes may be eliminated and cheaper ground feeds such as bran substituted. Two or more of the grains may be mixed in equal proportions for the grain rations. The mash may consist of ground barley and oats, or bran may be added. If grain has to be purchased cracked corn is as cheap as anything and makes a suitable addition to any grain ration. Bran is as cheap a food as one can buy for the mash.

The mash can be fed dry in a hopper or mixed with milk and fed moist once a day. Any table scraps should be used in the mash. If milk is not available, beef scrap or other animal food should be fed in the mash. In a good heavy litter, feed a mixture of the grain ration morning and night, allowing the hens sufficient grain so that they will always have some in the litter, but not so much that they can get a crop full without scratching for it. In the Prairie Provinces, there is considerable shrunken wheat available. Shrunken wheat if it is dry is as good a poultry food as wheat fit for milling purposes. Care must be taken, that it is not damp or otherwise spoiled. Shrunken wheat alone, if there is no other grain, will answer for the grain feed. For the mash, use bran, middlings or chopped oats. Elevator screenings, free from black seeds, make a good feed for either grain mash. If alfalfa or clover can be had, by all means give the leaves to the hens.

In Central Canada, Ontario and Quebec, grain is scarce and it is likely some will have to be purchased. If there is feed wheat from the west available, it should be used. Cracked corn may be purchased and other farm grains which may be on hand or purchased locally, such as barley and buckwheat, might be used. Bran can be used in mash feed and the good crop of clover in Ontario and Quebec will do much to cut down the cost of the ration. The clover may be fed dry or steamed and used in a mash.

In the Maritime Provinces where grain is usually purchased for the poultry, the same advice may be given as that for Central Canada not forgetting the clover and milk. If small potatoes can be had for poultry feed they may be boiled and fed in the mash.

In every case, grit and shell should be before the layers at all times. In some localities the grit can be secured from the local gravel pit and in other cases sufficient lime can be secured to do without the commercial shell. If neither of these is available they should be procured and as much given to the birds as they will eat.

It does not pay to stint the layers. If they do not get the feed they will not lay the eggs. As a rule, a laying hen will not get too fat. Therefore, feed the pullets well. If green cut bone is available and there is no milk, the former may be fed to the pullets at the rate of about half an ounce each per day. The proportion of grain and mash usually eaten is from two to four of grain to one of mash.

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On one of the most critical nights there was a number of banknotes to be guarded. They were packed for safety in an empty ammunition box, and the military cashier who had them in his keeping handed them over, in this receptacle, to what he believed to be the divisional guard. But it was not the divisional guard, but the ammunition guard, to whom, in the darkness and confusion, the precious case was committed. Ammunition guards know nothing about banknotes when they are hidden in ammunition boxes. The guard had orders to make a swift evacuation with their ammunition, and when the time came for the box with the notes to be handled, someone, realising the lightness of the box and thinking it empty, threw it aside!

What happened to them afterwards nobody knows.

The Man Who Made the Nails.

Law cases turn on curious points sometimes, and in real life, as well as in the Bible, the way of transgressors is often hard. In dealing with an old document which was said to be two hundred years old, a witness in the Law Courts declared that the document had been signed with a steel pen, and steel pens were not invented until 100 years after the date in question!

There was once an action which turned on the identity of a box, and to prove it a man swore that he had made the very nails which held it together.

The lawyer on the other side ridiculed the idea that a man could recognize nails of his own making, and nearly drove the poor witness to desperation. At last the honest fellow leaned over the witness-box and asked to be allowed to look at a sheet of paper on which his tormentor had been writing.

Having got the paper before him, the witness turned to counsel, and asked, "Is that your hand o' vrite (handwriting)?" "Yes, it is," he was answered. "But hoo could you prove it's yours? Could you swear to it anywhere?" asked the man. "Of course I could!" "Weel then, if you can swear to your hand o' vrite, how to goodness should I no' swear to my own nails?" he cried triumphantly.

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WAR IS ONLY HALF OVER AND GERMANY IS DECIDEDLY BEATEN.

New York, November 26—According to Will Irwin, the war correspondent, who returned here today from France on the American liner Philadelphia, the war will end when France and Belgium have been cleared of German troops. For the Allies to make peace under any other conditions, he said, would mean the death of English and French nationality.

Mr. Irwin said that the Allies would continue the offensive along the twenty-eight miles of the Somme front all through the winter every fine day. It was impossible to operate during the heavy heavy rains, as the mud was so deep that the artillery could not be moved. In some of the trenches he visited the mud was waist-high. After spending a week with the Canadian troops at the front, just before he sailed. Mr. Irwin was hardly able to walk when he got back to Paris.

There can be no question whatever as to who will win," Mr. Irwin said "but the war is only half over. The Germans are putting up a wonderful fight, but they cannot win. One of the most marked features of the west front is that Germany is totally out of the air. You never see a German aeroplane over the Allied troops any more, but the air is filled with British and French airmen, as thick as blizzards There are hundreds and hundreds, possibly thousands of them in the air every day, and it practically is death for any German airman who ventures against them.

One of the most marvellous and inspiring aspects of the west front is the perfect sprit de corps of the French. They inspire all their allies. There also is the doggedness of the British. They don't give in; they don't surrender. No man moves until he has been fully equipped and fully trained. England now has 2,000,000 men still on her side of the Channel being trained. They will not move forward until they are in the best fighting trim possible.

"The statement has been made that Germany can put 1,600,000 men on the firing line each year, but this is not true. In that 1,600,000 are counted all men between the ages of 17 and 60, regardless of disabilities. When it comes to a showdown, the 1,600,000 will be found to be greatly decreased, but England has more men than Germany, can put more men on the battle line than Germany, and can equip them better. Further, Russia can put 20,000,000 men on the battle line if they can be equipped, which up to this date has been impossible. The whole world could not now supply munitions for such a great number.

"It is reported that the German troops are surrounding the Rumanian army. If that is so, it is up to Russia to go to Rumania's aid, and if she fails it will be only because of a lack of equipment. Russia is manufacturing practically none of her munitions, but is depending on Japan and her other other allies and also on the United States. Even if the war could not be won on the west front, Russia has the men, and it is only a matter of time to train and equip them. Germany cannot win."

Mr. Irwin characterized the battle of the Somme as the most marvellous display of energy the world has ever seen.

"For twenty-eight miles wide and several miles deep there is a compact mass of heavy artillery, you might say," he exclaimed.

"The very flashing of the guns can be seen for miles and miles at night. The Somme battlefield is a mass of solid mud and the trench is something that no mind can imagine. You must be there to know.

"The French and British have devised recuperating depots. Soldiers come back from the front caked with mud, completely exhausted and in an hour came forth fresh and clean. They are given Russian and Turkish baths, hair cuts and shaves; their feet are treated and they are given new underwear and new uniforms. These recuperating stations are scattered all along the bases of the firing lines."

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New Battalion for St. Lawrence Counties

Information is to hand regarding the raising of a new Battalion to be entitled the St. Lawrence Counties Battalion. The organization will be under the command of Major J. L. Newman, Senior Major of the 56th Lisgar Rifles, who had considerable experience at the front in the trenches, returning early this year to assist in raising the 156th Battalion, C. E. F.

The officer in charge of local recruiting and in command at Cornwall will likely be Lieut. J. H. Remond, Senior Lieut. 56th Lisgar Rifles and O. C. of Post No. 1 St. Lawrence Canal Patrol. Before coming on the Patrol, he had 5 months' experience in the 38th Ottawa Battalion, C. E. F. Every fit-for-overseas man in the Counties and on the Canal Home Guard, will have this grand opportunity of enlisting with a Home Battalion and be with their families, friends and relations during the winter, until the opening of Barriefield Camp next spring.

The men will be billeted in their own town which is a great advantage to all parties.

The headquarters of this unit will be either at Brockville or Cornwall.

$300 for a few Fowl

An amusing story comes from the outlying district of Ottawa. On a farm many fine hens were kept also a couple pure bred roosters. As is the custom these belong to the women of the house as well as the butter and eggs. One night recently the poultry was locked up in the chicken house as usual. In the morning at feeding time not a beak or a wing could be found on the farm all were gone. Footprints were there, but no Sherlock Holmes was near to follow the clue. On the ground near the henhouse however a roll of bills reposed and when counted totalled $300. They were kept in trust. They had not been there the day before for the yard was cleaned up. Next day two men came to the farm house and asked if they could look over the farm for they wanted to buy it. They were given permission and they searched that property especially the chicken-house and in the direction of footprints which were left overnight led. The inspection of the farm came to an end and the men departed but have not bought the farm.

Bicycle Sold Many Times at Cornwall, Realizes $520 for Red Cross.

A novel way of raising funds for the British Red Cross was adopted at a Red Cross rally at Cornwall, when Capt. S. N. Dancey, of the 207th Battalion of Ottawa, delivered a stirring address on behalf of the fund. A local bicycle dealer, Turner Gregson, gave as his contribution a bicycle. This was put up at auction during the meeting and was bought many times, and in each case, was given back to be auctioned over again. The bids were invariably $20 and in this way the handsome sum of $520 was realized as a result, which was exclusive of the silver collection taken at the door.

THE ZEPPELIN DEATH SHIP AND ITS SECRETS

We need no reminder of the fate of the three Zeppelins which descended in rain within cannonshot of London, but let us take a peep at the latest production of the notorious count's evilly fertile brain—the Goliath our guns brought toppling down into an Essex field. That is the one, it will be recalled, which flopped down with all its crew alive. They set fire to the airship, but burnt only the cover: the remainder lies intact, sprawling across two fields and a rustic road, inviting inspection. If there was anything our cannie airmen did not know before about Zeppelins, they know it now, for this stranded colossus has revealed its every secret. It was only completed in July, and cost at least $250,000, and probably more—perhaps about as much as the Red Cross has just made out of the ruins of another.

Its length was 680 feet and its diameter 72 feet, so that in bulk it rather exceeded the dimensions ot the Lusitania. Great genius went to its making. The upper frame-work consists of an enormous number of lattice work girders of incredible lightness yet wonderful strength. The girders were held together by miles and miles of wire beautifully attached, and so contrived that all the strands met at one point, where by the turn of a handle, all could be tightened to "true up" the machine. The gas—two million cubic feet of hydrogen—was in 22 separate ballonets, and one surprise was that those were divided into compartments, not by metal, but by screens of open wirework. On top of the envelop was a platform carrying three machine-guns, of which there were six more in the goudnlas below. The gas carried enabled the Zeppelin to support 2000 gallons of petrol, a considerable quantity of water, ammunition and stores, and six engines--a dead load, including crew of 50 tons, of which the 60 bombs represented about two tons.

The hydrogen floats the Zeppelin in the air, the engines drive it on its way with a force representing 1440 horsepower, which would yield, in still weather a speed of 65 miles an hour. There were six engines, in six gondolas, driving six propellers, and a complete wireless installation for which current was generated by dynamos driven off the motor engines. There was an elaborate death seeking apparatus in the form of a series of hooks, each of which, at the touch of an electric button, slipped from its position and so released its bomb to fall through a trapdoor opened by the same movement. There was a pipe carrying off hot exhaust gases from the engines running through and to the top of the Zeppelin in such a way as to warm the interior for the crew, and an apparatus for creating smoke to hide the Zeppelin from sight. There was a dizzy little "cat-walk" or guarded footpath, only nine inches wide, running from one end of the under part of the machine to the other. These are some of the secrets of the vanquished monster's mechanism.

The captain sat in the foremost gondola and controlled everybody and everything, all by the touch of successive electric buttons He touched a button and fixed the speed, the route, and the height. He touched other buttons and opened the death-trap and let out the bombs. He controlled the pace of the engines, the disposition of the water-ballast; he did everything, as the driver of a motor-car does. He sat in a gondola 30 feet long, and looked through unbreakable and non-inflammable windows. He expected to see through them a sleeping and undefended England, but what he did see was the appaling fate of the murderers brought down in flames in a companion Zeppelin.

207th Battalion of Ottawa Will Likely go to Bermuda.

A report which has come from many quarters has it that the 207th Battalion will go to Bermuda at the expiration of the period of training in Canada. Although the officers have no official word as to the destination of the battalion, after it leaves Ottawa, there are some who would not be surprised to get the order to go south.

The authorities have sent several Ottawa units to Bermuda, and the training they have received there has fitted them for almost immediate service in France, without the need of training in England. This is one reason for many of the 207th wishing that the battalion would go to Bermuda.

During the past week the 207th recruited 21 men, and several more made application to join. It is thought that if the unit goes to Bermuda the ranks will be filled very rapidly.

Now that all the men of the 207th know that the O. C. cannot grant transfers or discharges, few men have made application. The majority of the men seem to be anxious to get to a training camp, and although the date of departure is not to be published, it is not likely that they will have to remain in Ottawa many weeks.

FIFTY YEARS ON STAGE.

Sir John Hare Celebrates His Golden Jubilee as an Actor.

The appearance of Sir John Hare on the variety stage coincides with the fiftieth anniversary of his theatrical debut in London, for it was towards the end of 1865, when he was twenty-one years of age, that Sir John made his initial appearance at the Prince of Wales' Theatre in London as Short, in "Naval Engagements." And it is in connection with this first appearance in London that Sir John tells an amusing story.

The play was written by H. J. Byron, who remarked to the young actor, when he was rehearsing his part as Short, the publican, "With a short name, a short part, and a short figure, you will, in short, be perfect."

"Thank you," replied Sir John, "but if I am a failure you will have to christen your play 'Short Engagements,'" a reply which no one appreciated more than the witty author of "Our Boys."

For playing this part Sir John received £2 a week. "Salaries were not so big in those days," he says. "For playing Sam Gerridge (in 'Caste') I received £6 a week. I think I am within the mark in stating that the entire salary-list for the company playing in 'Caste' could not have exceeded the sum of £60 a week, excluding, of course, Miss Marie Wilton's remuneration as leading actress and manageress. What would such a cast cost at the present day?"

Sir John has many amusing and interesting stories to tell of his theatrical experiences, and confesses that one of the most embarrassing moments of his life was when he was playing in "A Pair of Spectacles" in Edinburgh.

He had come to the scene where Benjamin Goldfinch refuses to entertain his brother Gregory's suggestions and suspect his wife, when an encouraging, but an embarrassing call came from the gallery, "Well done, old 'un! Stick up for the missis!"

Here is another story which Sir John tells against himself. "I remember nearly thirty years ago," he says, "I was playing on my provincial tour the part of a very old man. A spectator in the audience said to his neighbour: 'Poor old fellow! It's a shame to keep him working. I remember him as an old man nearly twenty years ago. He must be over eighty! He ought to have been in his bed hours ago.'"

Not Worth Much.



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Said thrifty Hiram Hegg.
"Perhaps I'll have, when I'm a man,
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Academics of Osculation.

"What would you do if I should kiss you?"

"I wouldn't let you kiss me."

"Well, it's a pleasant subject to discuss, anyhow."

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Miss Florence Hummel wishes to announce to the public that she intends selling the balance of her trimmed and untrimmed millinery at less than cost price in order to make room for new goods. Come and get a real bargain.

The New Year's night entertainment by the Chesterville Presbyterian Ladies Aid will take the form of an elaborate presentation known as "The Hall of Fame" which should prove the treat of the season.

The announcement that a new St. Lawrence Counties Battalion is to be raised does not seem to be in line with the intention of the government not to raise new battalions but confine recruiting efforts to detachments to keep the present overseas battalions up to strength.

The 199th Battalion, the Irish Rangers of Montreal, in which, besides Lieut. Clem McCloskey are several from this vicinity. are promised a treat when they go overseas, of a trip through Ireland and a visit to many interesting places there.

The representative of the Dominion Alliance—Canada's pioneer temperance organization—in the person of Mr. D. A. MacDermid is to visit Chesterville next Sunday and will speak upon the Temperance Situation and the work of the Alliance in Trinity Methodist Church in the evening. Mr. W. J. Cass will preside at the platform meeting.

Millinery Bargains.

All trimmed and untrimmed hats will be sold for the balance of the season at greatly reduced prices. Children's trimmed hats from one dollar up. Girl's school hats for one dollar.—Mrs. C. W. Casselman.

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Personal Local And District News.

Mrs. Pyper of Morrisburn is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Grav.

The Knitting Circle will meet this Friday evening in the Foresters' Hall.

Mr. Alex Allison of Russell was in town on Saturday renewing acquaintance.

The man who pays an ounce of principle for a pound of popularity gets badly cheated.

Mrs. James Gordon of Winchester, spent Friday of last week with Mrs. Frank Shirkey.

Mr. J. M. Jarvis of Montreal was a week-end guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Merkley.

Mr. John Alford left on Tuesday for Islay, Alberta to visit his son, Mr. Wm. Alford.

Pte. Frank Sharkey of the 207th Batt. of Ottawa spent the week-end with his uncle, Mr. F. Shirkey.

Who gets "The Diamond from the Sky?" See the next episode at the Star Theatre Thursday and Friday.

Whitteker, the Optician, will be at Winchester, Monday, Dec. 11th, Chesterville, Tuesday, Dec. 12th; Finch, Thursday, Dec. 14th.

The Elma Methodist Church Sunday School will hold their annual entertainment and Christmas Tree on Friday, Dec. 22nd.

Miss Olive Bogart of Morewood and Miss Minnie Coulthart of North Winchester, were week-end guests at the home of Mrs. H. Cunningham.

If you break a lens or the frame of your eye glasses Mr. A. E. Bolster can fix it for you—day or night every day—at W. G. Bolster's Drug Store, Chesterville.

The largest shipment of turkeys ever passed through Prescott for the American market were those of last week when twenty-four tons went over the border.

Mrs. F. W. Merkley received word this week from Calgary of the death of the infant son of Mrs. and Captain Earle Merkley now in England.

Rev. H. E. Warren pastor of Trinity Methodist Church, Chesterville will be preaching the anniversary services of the Grantley Methodist Church next Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Masterson. Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Masterson and Mr. and Mrs. Dan Masterson were called to St. Andrews on Monday by the death of Mrs. Laughlin Masterson.

Pte. Joe Walsh of the 207th Batt. and a member of the Molsons Bank staff here, was succeeded last week by Mr. Robinson of Belleville in the position of ledger-keeper.

Mr. Howard Hough of Avonmore has been promoted by the C. P. R. to the position of baggageman at this station to take the place of Mr. Beatty who has been transferred to Pembroke.

Lieut. Clem McCloskey and Pte. Ray Welsh of the 199th Irish Rangers of Montreal, spent the week-end at their homes on their last leave before the battalion proceeds overseas.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Timmins of Winchester, former citizens of Chesterville, on Nov. 18th celebrated the diamond anniversary of their marriage which took place on that date sixty years ago.

The Dunbar Presbyterian Sabbath School will give their annual Christmas entertainment on the evening of Wednesday Dec. 27th, when all will be made welcome. Admission 25c and 15c.

This year, owing to Christmas Day falling on the last Monday in December, the Municipal nominations throughout Ontario will be held on the previous Friday which will be on December 22nd.

Lance-Corp. C. H. Robinson of the 187th Batt. of Central Alberta, arrived here on Monday morning. calling on his father Mr. Hugh Robinson and friends on his way to Halifax to join his battalion on Thursday for overseas.

Trinity Methodist Sunday School intend holding their annual entertainment on Christmas night, when the Christmas Cantata, "The Winter King" will be given under the management of Mrs. Howard, organist of the church.

Two or three of our correspondents have not been heard from for several issues and we would be pleased to again receive their regular contributions. The usual considerations will be made to new correspondents from any unrepresented sections of Dundas or Stormont.

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